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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION)
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:

SEYMOUR EBNER CC 2514

TO PRACTICE ACCOUNTANCY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey Board of Accountancy by receipt of information that Seymour Ebner had pled guilty on or about December 6, 1995, before U.S. District Court Judge William H. Walls in Newark, to a federal information charging respondent with witness tampering. Respondent admitted in the plea proceeding that he attempted to persuade an Internal Revenue Service Agent to deny receipt of a payment made to him by Ebner of money concerning an audit that took place in 1989 with respect to a company his accounting firm was representing and to attribute the payment to a former vice president of the company who had died.

Respondent wishing to voluntarily surrender his license to practice accountancy and acknowledging that the above described plea constitutes conviction of a crime relating adversely to the accounting profession pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f), and the

parties having agreed and consented to the resolution of this matter without the necessity of formal administrative proceedings available to the Board, and respondent understanding the terms and impact of the within Order, and it therefore appearing that due cause exists for the entry of the within Order,

ORDERED:

DAY OF March, 1996,

- 1. That respondent shall surrender with prejudice to reinstatement at the Office of the State Board of Accountancy, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey, his license to practice accountancy in the State of New Jersey, both the original certificate and the most current renewal. Such surrender shall be made contemporaneously with her receipt of the within Order.
- 2. That upon the surrender of his license to practice accounting, respondent shall cease and desist the practice of accounting in the State of New Jersey and shall not hold himself out as a CPA of this State.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

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Président

I have read the within Order and understand its terms. I consent to its entry and agree to be bound by its terms.

Seymour Ebner, Respondent